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OF AMYLOIDOGENIC DISEASE

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Applicants submitted a Request to Reference Previously Filed Identical Computer Copy According to 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e), and a Communication Under 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 and Preliminary Amendment to Box Sequence, USPTO, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202 on June 14, 2002. Applicants submit courtesy copies of the same papers herewith. An Information Disclosure Statement, along with the attached PTO/SB/08A form, and cited references are submitted herewith.

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.